REMARKS

Reexamination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendments and remarks that follow. Claims 1 to 9, 30 and 31 remain for consideration. Claims 1, 6, and 30 have been amended as discussed below.

Claim Rejections – 35 U.S.C. § 112

Relying on 35 U.S.C., second paragraph, claims 1 to 9, and 30 have been rejected as being indefinite for the reasons enumerated on page 2 of the present Office Action. The Examiner objected to the word "derived" appearing in claims1 and 30 and required appropriate correction. Accordingly, claims 1 and 30 have been amended to comply with the Examiner's requirement. In addition, claim 6 has been amended consonant with the Examiner's requirement set forth for claims 1 and 30.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, an early Notice of Allowance with respect to claims 1 to 9, 30 and 31 is earnestly solicited.

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